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INFO AMEMBASSY NAIROBI
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TAGS: PEPR, PDEV, OVIP, GW, TZ, KE
SUBJECT: FOREIGN MINISTER GENSCHER TO VISIT TANZANIA
AND KENYA

REF: 77 BONN 12708 (NOTAL)

1. ACCORDING TO OUR WORKING-LEVEL CONTACTS IN THE
FOREIGN OFFICE, FOREIGN MINISTER GENSCHER HAS DECIDED
TO VISIT TANZANIA AND KENYA DURING THE LAST WEEK OF
FEBRUARY. HE WILL STOP FIRST IN DAR ES SALAAM
FOR SEVERAL DAYS OF CONSULTATIONS AND THEN FLY ON TO
NAIROBI. ALTHOUGH THE EXACT TIMING IS NOT YET FIRM,
HE WILL LEAVE BONN ON OR ABOUT FEBRUARY 25 AND RETURN
MARCH 3, DIVIDING HIS TIME AS EQUALLY AS POSSIBLE
BETWEEN THE TWO STOPS.

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2. GENSCHER SELECTED THIS PARTICULAR ITINERARY FROM
SEVERAL ALTERNATIVES PREPARED FOR HIM BY THE AFRICAN
SECTION. (AMONG THE OTHER POSSIBILITIES WERE A TOUR
OF WEST AFRICA AND A SERIES OF STOPS IN THE FRONT LINE
STATES.) THE PRINCIPAL OBJECTIVE OF HIS TRIP WILL BE,
WE ARE TOLD, TO CONTINUE HIS DIALOGUE WITH NYERERE

(REFTEL) IN THE WAKE OF THE PROXIMITY TALKS ON NAMIBIA
AND TO EMPHASIZE THE FRG'S INTEREST IN KENYA'S FUTURE.
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